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On Sale on the Second Floor.

USE WHISTLES TO REGULATE TRAFFIC

Public Will Have to Become Familiar With New Police Rules.

In carrying out the provisions of the ordinance regulating city traffic, the Police Department will inaugurate a new set of rules to traffic. Automobiles, street car men, drivers, cyclists and pedestrians will have to accustom themselves with a system of signals which at first will not do much to cause a great deal of confusion.

Orders were issued yesterday by Chief of Police Werner to district captains to instruct the members of the traffic squad, beginning this morning at 7 o'clock, to use the whistles provided for the purpose of directing traffic.

Copies of the order were forwarded to the street car companies with the request that all car crews be notified of the new rules.

The whistle which will be used will have a distinctive note, which may be easily distinguished from those of the street car men and the usual police whistle.

What the Rules Are.

One note from the whistle is an order for all traffic, street cars, vehicles and on foot, to move in an easterly and westerly direction, and travel north and south.

Two notes indicate that all traffic must move in a northerly and southerly direction, and that from east to west must stop.

It is the belief of Mayor Werner that with a little study the public will have no difficulty in quickly understanding the signals, and that in a short while all confusion which is expected to arise at first will be overcome.

Persons refusing to obey the signals will be liable to be brought into Police Court and subject to a fine for violating the traffic ordinance.

However, in the order sent out yesterday, instructions were included that no one is to be reported for this offense until the public is made familiar with the signals.

U. D. C. MEET

Will Present Confederate Flag and Unveil Picture of General Stuart.

Tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock, at the William H. Fox School, the Richmond Chapter, U. D. C. will present a Confederate flag as a memorial to one of the chapters most faithful members, Mrs. J. H. Timberlake.

It will be presented by Mr. Norman Randolph, and accepted for the school by Dr. Chandler.

The flag is the gift of Mrs. P. J. White. A beautiful picture of General J. E. B. Stuart, the gift of Mrs. David Brockington, will be unveiled by General Klumpp, president. Anna Gordon Brockington, and accepted by Dr. E. Graves, assistant principal of the school.

Both gifts are made through the Richmond Chapter of the U. D. C. Mrs. J. H. Timberlake and Mrs. J. E. B. Stuart have the program in charge, and it is expected that all members will be present.

Marriage.

Marriage was solemnized in the clerk's office of the Henric County Court yesterday by Richard H. Henson and John Lee Woody. Arthur Lee Henson and Julia Woody.

THE SAVINGS BANK OF RICHMOND 1117 E. MAIN ST.

Whatever is good in sound bank... The dollar starts an account.

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY

SEVEN MEMORIAL NURSES GRADUATE

Large Crowd Witness Ceremony at John Marshall High School Auditorium.

HONORS FOR MISS VAN VORT

Dr. Robins Tells Graduates That Superintendent Should Be Their Model.

Before a large crowd in the John Marshall High School last night seven graduates of the Memorial Hospital School for Nurses were presented with their diplomas and pins and with the administration of the oath by Superintendent of the hospital, Dr. Robins.

The graduating address was delivered by Dr. James C. Atwood, of Richmond, whose speech was for the most part on the influence of the trained nurse in the attainment of social ideals. Unlike some who speak on the subject he dwelt more upon her as a means toward the final accomplishment of universal peace and the brotherhood of man, toward which the whole creation moves.

Miss Van Vort, at the conclusion of Dr. Metcalf's address, read the nurse's oath with each of the graduates repeating the words after her.

Dr. Charles R. Robins then delivered the diplomas and pins to the graduates, who are as follows: Miss R. Josephine Humphreys, Miss Beattie Edwards, Miss Mable Walton Putney, Miss Elizabeth Lewis Richmond, Miss Jessie Leitch Sexton and Miss Elizabeth Thompson.

Penises Miss Van Vort.

In making his charge to the women who were about to go out to the practice of their profession, Dr. Robins said that while Miss Van Vort, who had been a nurse for many years, was a model for them, she was not to be their only guide.

"For unswerving devotion to duty and to the institution that she had represented for nine years," said Dr. Robins, "I can point out to you no better example than your superintendent. Continuing, he said that while these women with international reputations undoubtedly were worthy of all that had been said of them, he had no doubt but that Miss Van Vort possessed characteristics equaling theirs, and that under like conditions she would measure up in every way to the standards set by them.

Still laboring under the effects of Dr. Robins' unexpected compliment, Miss Van Vort read her report of the training school for the year past. A dance in honor of the graduates, tendered by the alumni, will take place next Wednesday night in the Jefferson Hotel Auditorium.

The exercises were closed with the benediction by Rev. J. Joseph Magri, D. D., who also offered the invocation.

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Richardson Appointed to Arrange for Reunion.

Governor Mann yesterday appointed Mayor D. A. Richardson representative from Virginia at the Centennial celebration of the battle of Gettysburg.

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PROFESSION NEEDS MEN OF BIG IDEALS

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Before an enthusiastic gathering of the alumni of the University College of Medicine, in the new building, last night, Dr. B. K. Haynes, of Oxford, N. C., a member of the class of 1884, made a stirring plea for the type of physician that mixes with his daily practice the saving grace of idealism.

"The Physician as an Idealist" was the title Dr. Haynes gave to his address. He spoke in an earnest, enthusiastic manner and commanded the undivided interest of his hearers. At frequent intervals he was interrupted by applause.

If every practitioner, he said, in addition to his reading of the current newspaper and magazine, would devote a short time each day to the serious study of the world's constructive philosophers and idealists, the medical profession would become a leader of the world's progress.

It is fitting that the physician should be an idealist, said Dr. Haynes. The gathering adjourned at the conclusion of the lecture, and a reception tendered by President McGuire to members of the board of trustees, faculty, alumni, graduating classes and students at his residence.

The final exercises will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in the Academy of Music. Rev. George W. McDaniel will make the address to the graduating classes. An address will also be made by President McGuire, who will award the degrees.

The feature of the reception at the residence of President McGuire was the presentation of a silver service to Dr. Roshier A. Miller, who as chairman of the building committee, gave unsparringly of his time and labor in the construction of the new building. The gift was from his associates on the college faculty and came as a surprise.

Dr. John Dunn made the speech of presentation. A number of Dr. Miller's enthusiastic colleagues swung him on their shoulders and carried him to a chair in front of the assembled guests. He responded with a short speech, expressing his surprise and appreciation.

Renew Fight on Typhoid Fever.

State Department of Health Will Examine Water in Fever Sections.

A new feature will be introduced this summer in the annual fight which the State Department of Health wages against the ravages of typhoid fever.

It is a portable hydro-chlorite plant, which can be readily set up in localities where there is reason to believe an outbreak of typhoid is due to pollution of the water supply.

A thorough test of the water made until its purity is beyond question has been determined. No serious outbreaks have been reported to the department as yet, but preparations are being made for the trouble which is certain to come.

Special study of endemic typhoid will be made this year by Assistant Health Commissioner A. W. Freeman.

In the hope of finding a solution to a heretofore puzzling condition, in his study of bathing cases in rural districts, Dr. L. W. Loomis, of the United States Marine Hospital Service, a man who has had unlimited experience in this line of research.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday in the office of the clerk of the Henric County Court: Samuel Donovitz and Bertha Ruby Haeck.

Robbery at Jefferson Club.

Goodman, member of the Jefferson Club, yesterday reported to the police a quantity of cigars and whiskey were stolen from the club safe-room.

Concerning the Platform.

Being constructed by the Democratic Convention of Virginia in Norfolk to-day, we want to see a plank relating to banking and currency reform. Give us revision of our banking laws, to the benefit of FARMER, MANUFACTURER, MERCHANT, WAGE-EARNER, in fact, to the improvement of conditions for EVERY WORKER. Let us remove this business question from partisan politics.

We suggest that these remedial measures be taken, not only by this convention, but that every other party or political organization shall use its best efforts along this line FOR THE GOOD OF THE PEOPLE.

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NATION MISLED BY FALSE DOGMAS

Congressman Brantley Scores Initiative, Referendum and Recall.

UNVEIL TABLET TO STEPHENS

Marks War Residence of Only Vice-President of the Confederacy.

"In our day there has developed a school of false teachers of government. They have been exceedingly active and their converts may be far greater than some of us would like to believe. These teachers would get away from the Constitution as it now reads, and would give to the majority the unrestrained power of the majority. They would rule by the initiative, referendum and recall. They would recall judicial decisions. The restraint of the Constitution are growing irksome to some. If they shall become irksome to the majority, we are lost."

In these words did Congressman H. Brantley, of Georgia, in the course of an address on the life of Alexander H. Stephens yesterday afternoon, draw a pointed comparison between the political heresies of the present day, and a similar arrogant assumption of power by the majority which a half century ago, plunged the nation into internecine war.

Against this headless tyranny of the majority, said Mr. Brantley, Alexander H. Stephens preached with all the power and eloquence at his command, only to be derided for his conservatism.

Crowds Witness Unveiling.

The new building of the University College of Medicine held a large crowd of men, women and children who at 2 o'clock, Judge George L. Christian, chairman of the board of trustees of the Confederate Memorial Literary Society, under the auspices of which the ceremonies were held, stated the object of the gathering and thanked the donors of the memorial society for their aid in marking the birthplaces of history in the city and State.

Leutenant-Commander J. E. Pondexter, of R. E. Lee Camp, No. 1, United Confederate Veterans, offered prayer, and was followed by Congressman H. Brantley, who made the principal address. A chorus of 200 school children, under the direction of W. C. Mercer, sang patriotic songs. At the conclusion of the address the audience adjourned to the unveiling of the tablet commemorating the residence of Alexander H. Stephens, only Vice-President of the Confederacy. The tablet is of bronze, and is placed on the Clay Street side of the new University College of Medicine building, near the corner of Twelfth Street.

Miss Martha Belle Willingham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Willingham, Jr., formerly of Georgia, pulled the ribbon which unveiled the tablet. The tablet bears these words in bold relief:

"Alexander H. Stephens, Vice-President of the Confederate States of America, lived in the house that stood here from 1842 to 1862."

Was House of Senator Semmes.

The house which in 1861 occupied the site marked by the tablet was the residence of Senator Stephen Pickens, then member of the Confederate Senate from Georgia. Later he became chief justice of his State. Vice-President Stephens, a native of the same State, lived with the Georgia Senator.

Preceding the unveiling a reception was held in the Confederate Museum between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock, in honor of the faculty, trustees, alumni and students of the University College of Medicine. At the conclusion of the unveiling ceremonies the visitors were taken on a tour of inspection over the new medical building.

Sketches Life of Stephens.

Mr. Brantley, in the course of an address lasting a little less than an hour, presented a graphic portrayal of the life and work of Alexander H. Stephens. He said that Stephens was dedicated to the service of country and humanity. He told of his early struggles for an education and his subsequent triumphs in the face of bodily infirmities and the opposition of enemies.

His career as teacher, law student and lawyer, struggling against poverty and disease, said Mr. Brantley, "making up in brain and will power what nature had denied him in body, is the magic story of success, the story of the man who made the story of the triumph of mind over matter. Despite his many and serious handicaps, he marched steadily onward and upward, until he had climbed to the summit of renown and power as a great and successful statesman."

Touching upon the part played by Stephens in the struggle between the States, the speaker said of the Confederacy's Vice-President:

"He urged moderation, but men were not moderate. He appealed to reason, but reason would not come. He pleaded for peace, but the voice that answered was the voice of war."

Conservatism To-Day Decided.

Mr. Brantley saw a deadly conservatism between the States of the national mind in the day of Stephens and at the present time.

"Conservatism in our day," he said, "has become to many a term of derision. It is one of the most dangerous signs of the times. Under present-day false teaching, to be called a conservative is to be reproached and tainted with suspicion. It was so in Mr. Stephens' day, and he, too, met with derision because he was a conservative. But time brought ample vindication, not only to him, but as well to the virtue and beneficence of wise conservatism."

Charters.

Fidelity Land and Investment Corporation, Portsmouth, Va. H. L. Maynard, president; J. S. Crawford, vice-president; T. J. Wool, secretary and treasurer—all of Portsmouth, Va. Capital: Maximum, \$50,000; minimum, \$5,000. Object: Real estate business.

The Maryland Switchboard Company (Inc.), Broadway, Va. J. M. Loch, president; S. Ziegler, secretary; H. H. Phillips, C. F. Spitzer, C. W. Turner—all of Broadway, Va. Capital: Maximum, \$2,000; minimum, \$200. Object: Build a telephone line 100 miles long.

Amendment was issued to the Roanoke Gas and Water Company, Roanoke, Va., changing its name to the Roanoke Water Company.

The Miller Machine Company, Pennsylvania corporation, \$750,000. J. G. Hanks, secretary and treasurer. To sell adding machines. Domesticated to-day.

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FLOYD HOAGLAND TO TAKE CENSUS KILLED BY TIMBER IN SINGLE HOUR

Struck by Beam Thrown From Roof by Two Iron Workers.

Floyd Hoagland, thirty years old, a steam fitter, of Philadelphia, but who had been living at 221 South Pine Street, was fatally injured yesterday morning about 10 o'clock, when a heavy piece of timber fell fifty feet from the roof of a new ice plant being erected at Linden and Cary Streets, for Tyler & Tyler, struck him on the head and fractured his skull. The City Hospital was notified, and Dr. J. H. Hulcher, ambulance surgeon, who hurried to the scene, at once saw that the man was dangerously wounded, and rushed him to the Virginia Hospital. Despite heroic efforts to save his life, he died about 3.30 o'clock.

The timber which hit him was said to have been thrown from the roof by L. B. Corson, thirty-five years old, and G. C. Lawson, twenty years old, iron workers.

They were arrested by Bicycle Officers Napier and Tiller and formally charged with murder. Both at once furnished bond for their appearance this morning in Police Court for a preliminary hearing.

Hoagland was at work on the ground when the accident occurred. The timber, which was about eight feet long, struck the ground and first and in falling down crashed upon his skull.

Hoagland was employed by J. K. Petty & Co. of Philadelphia. He had about finished his work on the new building, and was preparing to return to his home.

Coroner Taylor viewed the body, and will hold an inquest this morning at 10 o'clock.

The body, it was said last night, will be shipped to Philadelphia.

INSPECTION TOUR

Members of Street Committee to Visit Several Northern Cities.

Plans for a tour of inspection of several Northern cities to look into the various problems used for street paving, with a view of determining what is best to be used in this city, will be formulated at a meeting of the Council Committee on Streets last night. The inspection party will leave here for Boston tomorrow morning.

The tour is being made at the request of the Atlantic City Board of Commerce, which has laboratories in Boston, and the American Concrete Wood Block Company, which desires to show the committee specimens of paving recently laid in New York City.

Council Committee Schedule.

A subcommittee of the Council Committee on Light will meet in the City Inspector's office this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Council Committee on Relief of the Poor, which has twice failed to get a quorum, has been called to meet tonight at 8 o'clock.

The Committee on Finance will meet tomorrow night in adjourned session.

A subcommittee of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock to consider plans for repairing damage recently done by the storm at Forest Park.

The Ladies Aid Society of Broad Street Baptist Church will tender a reception to the Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Gibson tomorrow night from 8 to 10 o'clock. It is desired that all members of the church and congregation be present to greet the new pastor and his wife. The reception will be held in the parlors of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson have been in Richmond but a short time, but have made many friends, and this reception will afford those who have not met them an opportunity to get acquainted, as well as to spend a delightful evening.

Colored Night School Closes.

The Colored Young Men's Christian Association Night School will close for the year tonight with suitable exercises. These will take place at the Sharon Baptist Church, Lehigh and First Streets, and will begin at 8 o'clock. Attorney P. J. Henry, of Virginia Union University, will make an address on the subject, "The Duties of Citizenship." Special music will be provided by the association chorus under the direction of Prof. E. T. Pollard. The public is invited to attend.

Transfer of Bank Stock.

An order was entered yesterday in the City Circuit Court authorizing the First National Bank of Richmond to transfer to Frank H. Yungling, executor of the will of Minna D. Yungling, five shares of the capital stock of the bank now standing in the name of Minna D. Yungling.

Ordinance Committee To-Night.

The Council Committee on Ordinance, Charter and Reform, which called a quorum last Tuesday night, has been called for to-night at 8 o'clock.

At Atlantic City.

W. T. Mayo, Julian Richmond, Jr., and W. H. Hale are registered at Atlantic City.

Public School Children to Have Half Holiday to Aid Movement.

Interest in the great religious census taking has become so keen that the City School Board last night unanimously voted to declare a half holiday in all city schools and high schools on the afternoon of Tuesday, May 28, when the 4,000 canvassers will be scouring the residential section of Richmond recording the religious preferences of every man, woman and child within the city limits. This action was taken by the board primarily for the reason that many of the scholars have volunteered for the work of visiting, and the members of the board are desirous of doing everything possible to further the success of the movement.

It was announced last night by J. Shreve Durham, manager of the census taking, that 4,019 volunteers have responded to the call for workers to headquarters yesterday. The supporters of the census taking are delighted with the result of their call, but are still in need of further help. A few hundred more visitors will permit the work being done within a single hour, it is believed, and this is desired rather than the entire two hours allotted should be necessary for the work.

To-night the central workers, comprising volunteers of all denominations and faith from churches between Laurel and Fourteenth Street, will gather in the Grace Street Presbyterian Church for instructions. There will be no religious services, only business arrangement of the detail of the gigantic undertaking.

The chairman of the nineteen census districts will meet at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Business Men's Club to go over the work before them. At 5:30 o'clock the committee of colored workers, which is in charge of the census taking in the negro section of the city, will have a business session in Room 216 of the American National Bank building.

Seek Relatives of Gills.

A telegram yesterday from Richmond, Ind., signed by R. J. Pelree, was received by Chief of Police Werner requesting him to locate relatives here of Paul L. Gills who died there. He is supposed to have a brother and sister living in this city.

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